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 Appointed By: President George W. Bush
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 Circuit Judge

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Roger L. Wollman
 Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1934
 Education: Tabor 1957 BA; South Dakota 1962 JD; Harvard 1964 LLM
 Began Service: September 6, 1985
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable George T. Mickelson, United States District Court for the District of South Dakota (1962-1963)

Judicial: Associate Justice, South Dakota Supreme Court (1971-1985); Member, Judicial Conference of the United States (1999-2002)

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Diana E. Murphy
 Circuit Judge

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Affiliation: Trustee, Board of Trustees, University of St. Thomas

Judicial: Judge, Hennepin County Municipal Court (1976-1978); Judge, Minnesota District Court, Fourth Judicial District (1978-1980); Judge, United States District Court for the District of Minnesota (1980-1994); Chief Judge, United States District Court for the District of Minnesota (1992-1994); Chair, United States Sentencing Commission (1999-2004)

Legal Practice: Associate, Lindquist & Vennum PLLP (1974-1976)

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